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REMARKS

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the remarks and analysis contained in the Office Action. Claims 1-16, which have been withdrawn from consideration based upon the previous Restriction Requirement, are cancelled. Claim 17 is amended. Claims 17-21 are currently pending. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application.

Applicant respectfully submits that claim 17 is clear in that the function of the remote clock module is stated plainly. Claim 17 has been clarified by the amendment above and Applicant respectfully submits that it satisfies the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §112.

Applicant believes that this case is in condition for allowance. If a telephone conference will facilitate moving this case forward to being issued, Applicant's representative will be happy to discuss any issues regarding this application. The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's representative at the telephone number indicated below if the Examiner believes such a telephone conference will be useful.

Respectfully submitted,

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